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Peyton's Peerless Peonies

George W. Peyton - Windy Hill Gardens, Box No. 1, Rapidan, Va.

Telephone Orange 3355

August, 15, 1953

LOCATION: Rapidan, Orange County (East) side of Rapidan River. Highway 673, first entrance on left (East) beyond junction with 615. B

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TERMS: Cash with order. Make checks payable to George W. Peyton.

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#### ABBREVIATIONS

B-blush; BP-bright pink; BR-bright red; C-cut flower; DP-dark pink; DR-dark red; E-early; EM-early midseason; F-fragrant; G-garden variety; L-late; LM-late midseason; LP-light pink; LR-light red; M-midseason; MP-medium pink; MR-medium red; NY-near yellow; P-pink; PP-pure pink; PY-pink and yellow; PW-pink and white; R-red; S-show or exhibition: U-uncertain; W-white; WPY-white, pink and yellow; WY-white and yellow; Y-vellow.

# DOUBLES AND SEMI-DOUBLES

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Reine Hortense, LP., M., G., C.

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Dr. J. H. Neeley, M., G., S., F\$2.00	Mrs. A. M. Brand, L.,G.,S.,F.,U. \$3.00	
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Ernest F. Kelsey, M., G., S\$4.00	Mrs. J. V. Edlund, L., S\$3.00	
Ethereal, B., L., G., S\$5.00	76 70 76 70 1 11	
Ethel Mars, B., M., G\$4.00	B., M., G., S., F\$2.00	
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Armance Dessert, L., G., S\$2.00	Minuet, LM., G., S\$2.00	
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Betty J., M., G., S\$4.00	EM., G., S	
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Hansina Brand, L., G., S., U\$3.00	Rosanna Shrader, L., G., S\$5.00	
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Marietta Sisson, E., G\$2.00	Victory Chateau Thierry,	
May Morn, M., G., S\$4.00	M., G., S\$3.00	
DARKER PINK		
Blanche King, L., S\$3.00	Mme. Emile Debatene, M., G., S\$2.00	
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June Rose, L., G., S\$5.00	Pink Monarch M G S \$2.00	
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	Pres. F D Roosevelt, LM., G., S\$3.00	
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Carrara, all white       \$10.00         Christine, M.       \$5.00         Fairbanks, B., L.       \$3.0         Isani Gidui, EM.       \$3.00         Lotus Queen, M.       \$4.00         Margaret Atwood, M.       \$2.00         Moon of Nippon, LM.       \$7.00         JAPANESE         Ama-no-scde, MP., M.       \$2.00         Doreen, BP., LM.       \$3.00         Largo, BP., M.       \$5.00         Rose Valley, BP., M.       \$3.50	Plainsman, B., M.       \$5.00         Polar Star, M.       \$2.00         Roberta, M.       \$2.00         Sagamore, B., M.       \$8.00         Shaylor's Sunburst, M.       \$2.00         Sunmist, B., M.       \$2.00         Toro-no-maki, B., M.       \$2.00         — PINK         Sky Pilot, DP., LM.       \$10.00         Tamate Boku, DP., LM.       \$5.00         Westerner, LP., M.       \$4.00         Yellow King, LP., EM.       \$4.00	

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	Charm, DR., LM.       \$2.00       M         Dignity, DR., M.       \$10.00       N         Fuyajo, DR., M.       \$1.00       N	Mikado, BR., M.       \$1.00         Mrs. Wilder Bancroft, BR., M.       \$2.00         Nippon Beauty, DR., LM.       \$1.00         Nippon Brilliant, LR., EM.       \$3.00         Sword Dance, BR., LM.       \$2.00         ELTY JAPANESE
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	Little, May Delight (hybrid), Mrs. Frankli	in D. Roosevelt, Mrs. J. V. Edlund.

Double - White and Blush: A. G. Perry, Casablanca, Florence Nicholls, Gar-

denia, Le Cygne, Mrs. J. V. Edlund, Nancy Nicholls, Solange.

Light Pink: Alice Harding, Doris Cooper, Marilla Beauty, Miss Dainty, Milton Hill, Mrs. F. D. Roosevelt.

Medium Pink: James Pillow, Marietta Sisson, Sarah Bernhardt.

Dark Pink: Ella Christiansen, Ensign Moriarty, Martha Bulloch, Peg of My Heart, Sarah Bernhardt.

Japanese - White and Blush: Carrara, Polar Star.

Japanese - Pink: Fairy Pink, Tokio, Vista, Westerner.

Japanese - Red: Hari-ai-nin.

Single - White and Blush: Dancing Nymph, Krinkled White, Pico.

Single - Pink: Sea Shell.

Single - Red: Imperial Red, President Lincoln.

Semi-Double: Elizabeth Huntington, Garden Princess, Prairie Belle. Hybrids: Carina, Golden Glow, May Delight, Postilion, Red Charm.

Tree: Gessekai.

Popularity Queen: Le Cygne, Nick Shaylor.

American Home Achievement Medal: Florence Ellis, Majestic Rose. B. H. Farr Memorial Medal - Best Double in Show: Marietta Sisson.

A. P. S. Bronze Medal - Best Japanese in Show: Westerner.

Best Single in Show: Pico.

Best Hybrid in Show: May Delight.

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